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Nip Roll of a Paper or Board Machine

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 - a. ☒ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
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7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
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8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).
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11. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
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13. ☒ A preliminary amendment.
14. ☐ An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
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18. ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
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20. ☒ Other items or information:

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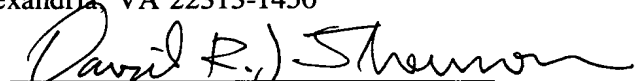
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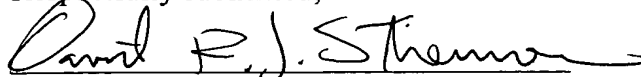
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